The late Gertrude Whittier Cartland, cousin of Whittier, the Quaker poet, presented an ideal picture of the saintly aged Quakeress. Her sweet, serene face, framed in its tight little bonnet, seemed to shine with clear, spiritual radiance; to hear her recite, in a voice of tranquil music, famous relative was always delight-

But she did not have her cousin's hard to tell whether this lack lessened or increased the effect, when in exactly the same grave, even tones. she occasionally read aloud some of the verse that he wrote, not for publication, but for the pleasure of his | 40-year gold bearing bonds bearing light, frequently gay, sometimes fairly rollicking.

Her admiration for the writer made her try very hard to appreciate his fun; and she thought she did so; yet mirth seemed always as alien to her tongue as a red rosette pinned upon her dove-gray shoulder-shawl would have been to her costume. This incongruity was felt, doubtless, by another Friend, of even more serious mind than she, who once said to her reprovingly:

"The verses are harmless, and I perceive they are intended to be diverting; but they do not divert me. Gertrude, and I do not think they really divert thee. Be honest with thyself; if thee read them and did not know thy cousin Greenleaf wrote them, would thee not consider them extremely silly? Thee knows I mean no affront, and greatly admire thy cousin Greenleaf. Surely he is a great poet; but a great poet may sometimes write such silly stuff. And surely this time thy cousin hath done it. Reflect and thee will agree with me."

She reflected-on the necessity of care in selecting an audience for a joke.-Youth's Companion.

Hot Weather Drink.

Philip Hale, one of Boston's latterday philosophers, recommends barley water as a more sensible drink for hot weather than "ice-cold" blends of waters, sirups, acids, gulped at the marblo fountains. Mr. Hale's recipe for his favorite tipple is as follows:

"For three pints of water you will require a teacupful and a half of well washed pearl barley, four lumps of sugar and the thin rind and fuice of one lemon. Pour boiling water over it, cover with a saucer and let it stand till cold; then strain again and again till clear, and pour into a jug."

A buttermilk fan adds: "Then set the jug in a cool place and forget it."

Illiteracy in Germany.

According to the latest official reports, only three persons out of 10,000 | was badly bruised and his skull was in Germany are unable to read or fractured. write, while the proportion of illiter acy in Great Britain is 150 per 10,000. as against 770 per 10,000 in the United States. These figures are based on a compariison of illiteracy among some of the leading nations which has just been made and issued for free distribution by the United States Bureau of Education.

Wanted Minute Evidence.

Orfia, the celebrated doctor, being examined as an "expert" on a capital trial, was asked by the president whether he could tell what quantity of arsenic was required to kill a fly. The doctor replied:

"Certainly, M. le President. But I must know beforehand the age of the fly, its sex, its temperament, its condition and habit of body, whether married or single, widow or spinster, widower or bachelor. When satisfied on these points I can answer your question."

His Rank.

Mistress-Well, I'm sorry you want to leave me, Mary; but what's your reason?

Mary keeps silent. Mistress-Something private? Mary (suddenly)-No, mum; please, mum, he's a lance corporal.—Illustrated Bits.

Out of Reach. Townley-How's the new cook get-

ting on? Subbubs?-I don't know. She didn't leave her address.-Boston Transcript.

Business Practice. "The new actor in this company certainly knows how to act on people's feelings with fine touches." "Yes; he used to be a dentist."

A Triumph Of Cookery-

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******************** NEWS FROM MISSOURI**

100000000000000000000000J To Plan Road Work.

The executive committee of the Missour: Old Trails Road association, of Mrs. Barker Had Always Ridiculed which Dean Walter Williams of the school of journalism of the state university is president, was called to meet at Favette August 16, to hear a the hymns and graver poems of her report of the recent inspection tour, receive reports from the various coun- ly in a mood to welcome any pleasure plan further road improvements and thetic irony at her flushed and weary lively sense of humor; and it was select the time and place and arrange sister. the program for the association's annual meeting

Big Mortgage Filed.

A \$200,000,000 mortgage secured by ultimate circle. That was always not more than 6 per cent interest was filed in the St. Louis recorder of deeds' office by the St. Louis Iron Mountain & Southern Railway company. The mertgage is to the Union Trust company of New York and H. F. Edwards of St. Louis as trustee for the bondholders. The mortgage covers all the rolling stock and other physical property of the road

Drought Ended.

Relieving fears of a continued drought and bringing much benefit to to go down to the chrysanthemum the growing corn and other late crops. show with me, and then to the Brown a steady rain began at Springfield and Betty for tea, but I see it's no use continued throughout the day. This asking you. Good-by! I hope you'll is the first rain since July 22, when 29 discover the missing 37 cents. It alof an inch was recorded. Crops bad ways is 37 cents, isn't it? I'd charge begun to suffer and farmers who had it to jewels and be done with it." purchased stock for fall fattening were | And with a gay little filrt of her becoming anxious.

Bell Put at Bad Crossing.

at the crossing half way between Liberty and Birmingham, where four when a passenger train struck an automobile containing a party of Kansas Cityans. This crossing has been generally regarded by autoists as very dangerous.

County to Boom Farming. The Clay county court at Liberty made an appropriation for the full amount permitted by law for the purpose of encouraging agricultural pursuits in Clay county. The money will be expended in connection with the Clay county annual home product

Defeated Candidate Killed.

Michael F Smyth of St Louis who was defeated for the Democratic legislative nomination in the sixth district, who was secretary of the Jefferson club the police claim was murdered. His body was found in a gateway west of the club house. His head

Election Was Unanimous.

ty, got every vote in Caldwell town. Youth's Companion, ship, where he was born and reared. Cave is a former baseball star of the Washington university, St. Louis, and has filled an unexpired term as city attorney of Fulton through appointment by Mayor Richard H. Fowler.

Ice Trial to Savannah.

Both the state and the defendants alleging they could not get a fair trial in St. Joseph, the suits to dissolve the alleged "ice trust" were sent to Savannah for trial. Officers of the ice companies under arrest will have a trial at the November term of court.

Woman Dead at 102. Mrs Nancy McKee Harsh 102 years of a week. She was a native of Penn-

sylvania. Big Granary Burned.

miles east of Kingsville, also lost a Field. barn with about \$500 worth of grain and hay, all the feed he had

Voting on Big Bond Issue.

Buchanan is voting on the proposed roads. Despite keen interest in the to their effective temperatures. The primary campaign ended Tuesday, brightness of a star, as seen from the sentiment throughout the country has earth, does not depend wholly upon been aroused for the bond issue and its size and distance. Thus M. Nordthe county has been thoroughly cov- mann finds that Sirius and Vega emit ered with arguments in its favor.

Took Wrong Medicine.

A mistake in taking medicine prescribed for her by a physician, cost Mrs. Lucy Kelly, of Republic, her life. She took a quantity of tincture of oplum and died within a short time The dose had been prescribed for another medicine.

Married his Sweetheart's Mother. Clarence G. Voss, 20 years old, of St. Louis, consoled himself when his sweetheart, Miss Myrtle Schultz, 19 years old, jilted him by falling in love with Miss Schultz's mother. He went to Clayton and married the mother 35 years old, a divorcee.

Wants Better Milk. in a fight for better milk, the St. Joseph beard of health caused 49 war rants to be issued for dairymen, be-

Girl Leaped Under Train. Miss Pessie Altus, 17 years old, who came from Texas to attend a Sedalia business college, committed suicide in a fit of despendency by hurling herself under a train near the state fan grounds.

Murder Suspect Arrested.

A section hand was arrested at St. Joseph as a suspect in the murder of the Joseph Moore family at Villista Ia., June 10. Ross Moore, brother o the eldest victim, identified the ; == s

MADE HER A CONVERT

ONE WOMAN WILL IN THE FU TURE KEEP ACCOUNTS.

Her Sister's Hobby Until She Learned a Lesson Showing the Value of System.

Mrs. Barker, fresh and dainty, clearties of the progress of the road work. that came her way, gazed with sympa-

> "I hope," she observed, "that you feel virtuous enough to pay for wasting a perfectly beautiful afternoon over those old accounts. If you liked the things! But to tire yourself half to death over them, when you always did detest arithmetic from the time you learned that two and two were always expected to make four! Helen Avery, you're the very biggest sort of goose. What in the world is the use

"But it helps, to know how it was spent," Mrs. Avery replied. She had said it a hundred times before, for Anna's whimsical earnestness always roused her to defense.

of it? If the money's spent, it's spent,"

"I don't see how," her sister retorted, obstinately. "And, besides, I always remember, anyway. I wanted you

pretty gown, Mrs. Barker departed. Mrs. Avery sat idle for a moment. Somehow, with the rustle of those de-The C., M. & St. P. Railway com- parting skirts in her ears, the work pany installed an electric alarm bell | did seem foolish. Then, with a resolute sigh, she turned again to her task. She had tried Anna's way, and she persons were killed several weeks ago had always run several dollars over her allowance. No, there was nothing for her but this.

Three days later Anna appeared again, half-merry, half-rueful.

"Jenny's left me," she began. "Jenny left you! Why, I thought she

was perfectly contented!" "So she was until-I lost \$5, I wanted it for a chiffon waist I saw the other afternoon-marked down from \$10. I hunted everywhere for the \$5, and finally asked Jenny. Of course I didn't say she took it, but I couldn't think of any other way that it could have gone. I lay awake over it half the show, which was begun four years night before I asked her. And she was insulted, and packed her things and walked out of the house. And this morning I suddenly remembered-" "What?" Mrs. Avery prompted,

breathlessly. "That I had given Mrs. Colton \$5 Sunday for my missionary dues." "O! Anna!" Mrs. Avery's voice was all sympathy.

"So," Anna continued, facing her sister bravely, "I've come to ask you where you buy your account books."

Mrs. Barker was already half-way Nick Cave, who was nominated as downstairs. "I'm going to get enough prosecuting attorney of Callaway coun- to last 20 years!" she called back .-

> Big Canadian Tobacco Farm. What is believed to be the largest individual tobacco growing farm in the world is located in Essex county, Ontario, It is not an uncommon sight to see fields ranging from one or two acres up to twenty-five or thirty acres. The largest covers 260 acres. The plants are raised from the seed in beds under cotton or glass till they are ready to plant in the field, which is usually about June 15. If the seagon is favorable it requires about three months for the tobacco to mature and ripen before cutting and har-

vesting. Most farmers hang the product in barns to dry, while a few dry by heat old, died at Hopkins, after an illness in barns specially constructed for the purpose. The actual expense of growing an acre of tobacco in Ontario, outside of supplying the plants, which any farmer can raise for him-Lightning struck the Kingsville Mill- self, is estimated to be £10. The ing company's property, burning the crop yields from one to two thousand granary with 12,000 bushels of wheat pounds. The price varies from year and the barn. The loss is about \$14. to year; in 1909 it overaged 71/2 pence 000. George Carlyle, a farmer, two a pound, and in 1910 81/2 pence.-The

> Intrinsic Light of Stars. M. Nordmann of the observatory of Paris has made some interesting calculations of the intrinsic light of a light, the brightness of which is six million c. p. per square centimeter. while at the other end of the scale the light of Aldebaran amounts to only 22,000 c. p. per square centimeter. The intrinsic brightness of Vega is, according to this calculation, nineteen times that of the sun. If Vega were of the same size as Aldebaran and at the same distance from the earth, the former would appear to us

> > Rue Oullbeur Raett.

over 200 times as bright as the lat-

municipal councillors of Le Mans recently decided to name one of the streets in that town after Wilbur Wright. This decision appears to have been very popular, but many stay a little longer? of the inhabitants, according to a Prench contemporary, are experienc ing great difficulties in regard to the correct pronunciation; but the name good-by. is now being horribly mangled, especause milk gold is deficient in butter | cially by the younger generation, and "Vilbure Vright" appears to be about the nearest popular approach to the real thing. Our contemporary, by the way, informs its readers that "Ouilbeur Raett" is the correct rendering. We are not sure whether "Raett" is right.-London Globe.

> Bureau of Information. Stranger-Can you tell me where I will find your bureau of vital statistics?

Farmer Brown-I kin give you the village dressmaker's address. She knows the age of every woman in town.- Life.

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FOR SAFETY TO THE DRIVER

Mirrors Installed on Streets of English Towns Have Proved of Material Benefit.

Mirrors at street corners to provide for the drivers of vehicles a view of the cross streets have been installed in at least two towns in England. In Folkestone there is an acute angle street crossing where one corner is built up close to the curb. On this corner is placed a 24x24 inch mirror supported on gas pipe standards at such an angle that drivers of vehicles coming toward the built-up corner from either of the two opposite streets can see up the streets at right angles

to their path. The engineer in charge states that owing to the impossibility of motorists seeing any oncoming traffic several accidents and narrow escapes have occurred at that point. Since the mirror has been fixed he has not tributed, besides several million postheard of anything approaching an accident. The damp, mist, rain or frost have no ill effect on the mirror, which is occasionally cleaned by a passing lamplighter when cleaning his

At Malmesbury, in Wiltshire, a mirror five by eight feet in size, supported on standards so that its top is 15 feet above the street, occupies an angular position at the apex of a closed right-angle curve. The engineer in charge says: "The mirror requires scarcely any cleaning; only a wipe over once in about three months."-Engineering News.



Summer Girl-What do you think million dollar bond issue for good he had previously attained in regard you deserve for kissing me like that? who is nominated by the political

Consistent.

"Your friend is very particular about conformity in all things, isn't

"Yes indeed. When he went on his last spree the family were in mourning and he saw only black snakes."

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better half, but sometimes she turns form?" out to be his bitter half. To be sweet and clean, every woman should use Paxtine in sponge bathing. It eradicates perspiration and

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tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle. Tell it not in Gath, but there are church members who look too happy at a horse race and too solemn in prayer meeting.

HER LITTLE HAND IN HIS

Mr. Pecke's Explanation as to Reason Somewhat Dispelled the Odor of Romance.

Henne and Pecke were two henpecked married men. The other day they met, and, after a few casual remarks concerning the weather, the subject of women and unfortunate husbands was-perhaps naturally-discussed. To Henne, however, suddenly came thoughts of years ago, when he was a happy bachelor, and (unconscious of what Fate had in store for him) was "walking out" a girl who was, later on, destined to bring him sorrow and misery.

Pecke, seeing a "far-away" look in his companion's eyes, inquired the meaning. Henne retorted dramatically, "I was just then thinking, old fellow, of those happy days long agowhen I used to hold that girl's hand in mine for hours-when-"

But the equally unfortunate Pecke suddenly cut his companion short by exclaiming: "Why, that's nothing! Cheer up! Do you know, only yesterday I held my wife's hand for three solid hours."

"What?" said the startled Henne. "Yes, it's a fact," resumed Pecke, sorrowfully; "and I declare if I'd let wose she'd have killed me."-London Tit-Bits.

NATURALLY.



ately. Dix-No wonder. He's raising mut-

tonchop whiskers. Expect Big Sale of Red Cross Seals. The campaign for selling Red Cross practically every state and territory in the United States, and even in Porto Rico, the Canal Zone, Hawaii and Phillippine islands. No less than 100,000 free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address volunteer agents, including department, drug and other kinds of stores, motion picture theaters, individuals, and others, will be engaged in the work. Before the sale is completed. it is expected that at least 100,000,000 seals will have been printed and disers, display cards and other forms of prizes."

literature. Badly Frightened Fish.

"It was never so known before," says Rankin Dunfre, local angler, who wasn't angling on the occasion in point. "I was crossing the bridge near home swinging my lantern, for the night was dark. I heard a great splash, got down on the bank with my lantern to see the cause, and lo and behold a 16-inch fish lay flounder ing in the weeds. The lantern must have scared him out of the waterdon't you think?"-Philadelphia Rec-

America's Athleta Missionaries. Writing under this title in Harper's Weekly, Edward Bayard Moss describes our athletic triumph at Stockholm in the Olympic games. "Some plea of the caliber of the althletes and the competition can be gained from the fact that thirteen new Olympic and nine world's records were established during the games. The victory of Arnold Jackson of Oxford in the 1,500-meter run was the only feature that redeemed England's poor display."

Sure of Himself. "Aren't you afraid you may become slave to the smoking habit?" "No. I can guit whenever I want

"How do you know that? Have you ever tried it?"

"No; but I've cured myself of the habit of voting for every candidate Youth-Well, say you might marry party to which I belong, and a man must have a strong will to do that."

Pa's Rather Indefinite.

"Pa, what is an anachronism?" "Oh, that's something or other smart people are always finding in Shakespeare's works. Now, run along and play."

Corrected. 'Isn't that lady attenuated in "Do you think so? Now, I'd call her

Why? "George, don't you think, now that your salary has been raised, we can

we wish, but why be so common?"

have an automobile?'

Cole's Carbolisaive Father Knickerbocker—Can't you itay a little longer?

Departing Visitor—No. Haven't a

"Oh, I suppose we can have one, if

Their Place.

"Where are marital rods in pickle kept? "I should suggest in family jars." LEWIS' Single Binder gives the smoker rich, mellow tasting 5c cigar.

It takes a woman to cry over her inability to find something to laugh at. One way to lose a friend is to en-

gage in a political argument.

Mrs. Tellitt-I heard something today that I promised never to tell.

one of the suburbs decided to give up his spacious back yards to the raising of currants as a profitable side issue. So, wishing to absorb all the information he could acquire on the subject of the currant industry, he went down town one Saturday afternoon recently and returned with his

"Well, Teddy," inquired his enthusi-

in getting what you wanted?" pointing to the books. "I bought a whole year's edition of a standard work on current literature."-Exchange.

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"What are these cups for?" asked a well-dressed man of a jeweler, pointing to some lovely silver cups on the counter.

for one?" And the stranger, with the cup in his hand, started, the jeweler | Headafter him. The stranger won the cup. ---Keystone.

"A summer resort that doesn' uarantee its attractions."

Mr. Tellitt-All right; I'm listening.

What He Bought. A Syracuse business man living in

arms full of books. astic spouse, as he dumped the volumes on the table, "did you succeed

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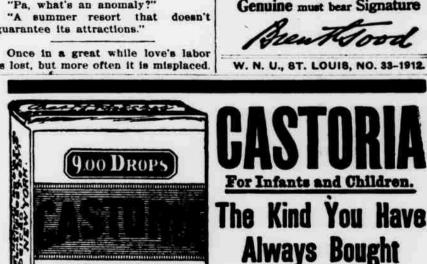


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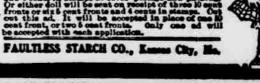
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